

# HOUSE . . . . . No. 628

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:  
**Martin J. Walsh**

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*To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:*

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the passage of the accompanying bill:  
**RESOLVE** providing for an investigation and study by a special commission relative to the possession of marijuana in the commonwealth.

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PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Martin J. Walsh	13th Suffolk

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In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

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## **RESOLVE** PROVIDING FOR AN INVESTIGATION AND STUDY BY A SPECIAL COMMISSION RELATIVE TO THE POSSESSION OF MARIJUANA IN THE COMMONWEALTH.

1 ~~Resolved~~, That a special commission to consist of 3 members of the house of representatives to  
2 be appointed by the speaker, and 3 members of the senate to be appointed by the president, to  
3 make an investigation and study relative to possession of marijuana, which was passed by the  
4 people as chapter 387 of the acts of 2008, and how this possession of marijuana would affects  
5 public and private tenement housing, pursuant to sections 19 and 20 of chapter 139 of the  
6 General Laws. Said commission shall report the results of its investigation and study, and its  
7 recommendations, if any, together with drafts of legislation necessary to carry such  
8 recommendations into effect, by filing the same with the clerk of the house of representatives on  
9 or before the last Wednesday of January, 2010.